

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:	Davis et al.
SERIAL NO.:	09/752,861
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FOR:	<b>NUMA System Resource Descriptors Including Performance Characteristics</b>

Group Art Unit: 2188

Examiner: Portka, G.

Commissioner for Patents  
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**Preliminary Amendment**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Advisory Action dated May 17, 2007, Applicants respectfully requests reconsideration of the outstanding rejection(s) of the claims in view of the amendments and remarks that follow.